



South Central Regional Library Council

Hospital Library Services Program (HLSP) Advisory Committee Meeting Tuesday, April 1, 2025

Meeting Notes

Present: Danny Scopelliti, Guthrie Lourdes Hospital; Matt Roslund, Bassett Healthcare; Christine Brown, SCRLC

Excused: Danielle Zavada, UHS Wilson; Laura Lipke, SUNY Binghamton; Fantasia Thorn-Ortiz, Northeast College of Health Sciences; Mary-Carol Lindbloom, SCRLC

February Meeting Minutes – approved as distributed

Around the Table

Danny shared that Guthrie will be holding Research Day in mid-April and they saw an uptick of usage from the beginning of January through mid-February. He also shared that he's received provisional AHIP membership and he completed the UNC Evidence Based Practice course.

Matt shared that they have a Poster Day where research is shared though it's not as big as the one at Guthrie. He also shared that they filed a proposal for a grant from the National Library of Medicine and they received a good score though they are not sure if it'll be funded given the recent changes at the federal level.

Christine shared that SCRLC is working on advocating for IMLS and other funding for libraries in response to the current administration's efforts to defund IMLS and other library funding. Christine also shared that SCRLC is working on its next Plan of Service including a survey.

HLSP Grant Program Update

Christine shared that all 9 members have paid their dues and all but one have submitted their applications so we're in good shape.

Christine shared that the final reports will be sent to recipients in May.

Electronic Resources

Christine shared that STAT!Ref has new titles available (the list was distributed with the agenda) and will share the list with everyone after the meeting. There was discussion about usage including usage numbers for 2024 and the 5 titles that have no usage. The committee will review and provide input on whether to change any of the titles.

Christine shared that STATPEARLS is offering new CME educational material that some organizations may be interested in. She will share the information with the committee members in case anyone is interested. The cost for it to be at 9 locations (the current number of members) would not fit into the SCRLC budget.

Christine shared that NEJM usage numbers are down and that's likely due to Lourdes moving from SCRLC participation to the Guthrie system. They plan on returning to the SCRLC subscription for the 2026 year.

Christine also shared that the Ovid usage numbers for 2024 are down which is also due to Lourdes not participating this year. Lourdes plan to return for the 2026 year.

HLSP Newsletter

The Spring edition was distributed the Thursday before the meeting and Danny shared that he let Sue Bretscher and Jean Jenkins know the Lourdes Library was the focus of Anatomy of a Library in the Spring issue.

The Summer edition is planned to be distributed in mid to late June.

Lunch and Learn update

- Occupational Stress (Nellie Brown) – April 24
- Mosquito born illnesses – June 4

Other?**SCRLC Member Survey**

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SCRLC2025>

Next Meeting Date – June 3 at 11:00